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**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

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International Appln. No.: PCT/JP2005/005972

Filed: Concurrently herewith

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For: HEEL EFFECT COMPENSATION FILTER, X-RAY IRRADIATOR, X-RAY CT  
SCANNER AND METHOD FOR X-RAY CT IMAGING

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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September 28, 2006

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fees and initial examination of the application,  
please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

**Amendments to the claims are submitted beginning on page 2.**

**Remarks are submitted beginning on page 6.**